

The City Council of the City of Mattoon held a special meeting in the City Hall Council Chambers on November 23, 2009.

Mayor David W. Cline presided and called the meeting to order at 5:01 p.m.

The following members of the Council answered roll call physically present: YEA Commissioner Randy Ervin, YEA Commissioner Tim Gover, YEA Commissioner Rick Hall, YEA Commissioner Chris Rankin, YEA Mayor David Cline.

Also physically present were City personnel: Interim City Administrator John Kolata, City Attorney & Treasurer J. Preston Owen, Public Works Director David Wortman, Community Development Coordinator Kyle Gill, Police Chief David Griffith, Deputy Police Chief Adam Weinstock, Deputy Police Chief Jeff Branson, Technology Coordinator Brian Johanpeter, and City Clerk Susan O'Brien.

Commissioner Rankin seconded by Commissioner Ervin moved to recess to closed session at 5:02 p.m. pursuant to the Illinois Open Meetings Act for the purpose of considering the employment, performance or dismissal of employees of the municipality (5 ILCS 120(2)(c)(1)).

Mayor Cline declared the motion carried by the following vote: YEA Commissioner Ervin, YEA Commissioner Gover, YEA Commissioner Hall, YEA Commissioner Rankin, YEA Mayor Cline.

Commissioner Rankin seconded by Commissioner Hall moved to approve Council Decision Request 2009-1040, awarding the bid from S.S.C. Services, Inc. in the amount of \$37,356.80 per year for janitorial services at various City buildings, and authorizing the Mayor to sign the contract.

Commissioner Rankin seconded by Commissioner Hall moved to amend the motion to reject all bids.

Mayor Cline declared the motion to amend the motion to reject all bids by the following vote: YEA Commissioner Ervin, YEA Commissioner Gover, YEA Commissioner Hall, YEA Commissioner Rankin, YEA Mayor Cline.

Mayor Cline declared the motion to approve the amendment to reject all bids carried by the following vote: YEA Commissioner Ervin, YEA Commissioner Gover, YEA Commissioner Hall, YEA Commissioner Rankin, YEA Mayor Cline.

Council with City staff reviewed the proposed personnel code updates. Council gave feedback to the code through Section 15. Council determined the next working session for the personnel code as December 7, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

Commissioner Hall seconded by Commissioner Ervin moved to adjourn at 7:24 p.m.

Mayor Cline declared the motion carried by the following vote: YEA Commissioner Ervin, YEA Commissioner Gover, YEA Commissioner Hall, YEA Commissioner Rankin, and YEA Mayor Cline.

/s/ Susan J. O'Brien
City Clerk